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Bibliography

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Over the past few decades, there has been an impressive array of scholarly publications on most aspects of Ethiopia's history. However, additional work still is needed on Ethiopian military affairs, especially during the postindependence period; the careers of some colonial governors and officials and many of Ethiopia's African political leaders; opposition movements; environmental problems; transportation infrastructure; the judiciary; and the political, economic, social, and medical impact of the acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS).

Concerning the Italian colonial period, books and articles normally fall into two categories. Many of those written before independence usually extol the virtues of Italian colonial rule, while those produced after independence are often highly critical of Italian colonialism. More-balanced future assessments of the political, military, economic, and social implications of the colonial experience undoubtedly will result in greater understanding of Ethiopia's historical development.

Apart from books and articles, archival data is essential to Ethiopian scholars. The most important repository for such materials in the Institute for Ethiopian Studies in Addis Ababa. Other useful collections are located in the Abdine Archives (Cairo), Archives des Capucins (Toulouse), Archives Nationales, Section Outre-Mer, Ministère de la Marine et des Colonies (Paris), Archivio Storico della Società Geografica Italiana (Rome), Archivio Storico del soppresso Ministero dell'Africa Italiana (Rome), Bibliothèque Nationale (Paris), British Museum (London), Ministero degli Affari Esteri (Rome), Ministère des Affaires Étrangères (Paris), Ministero della Guerra (Rome), and the Public Record Office (Kew).

Apart from the items contained in this bibliography, readers interested in recent Ethiopian affairs also should consult contemporary periodicals such as *Africa Analysis*, *Africa Confidential*, *Africa Research Bulletin*, *Focus on Africa*, *Horn of Africa Bulletin*, and *New African*. The *Economist Intelligence Unit's* quarterly and annual country reports on Ethiopia also are useful, especially with regard to economic matters. Lastly, annuals such as *Africa Contemporary Record* and *Africa South of the Sahara* provide valuable sources of more current information.

There are numerous scholarly periodicals and newspapers that are devoted entirely to Ethiopia. Other specialized journals that regularly publish articles about Ethiopia include the *Bulletin of the School of Oriental and African Studies*, *Geographical Journal*, *Journal of African History*, *Journal of Modern African Studies*, and *Northeast African Studies*. Journals published in Ethiopia normally can be found only in major public or university libraries. The same can be said of Ethiopian newspapers although several of them are on the Internet. The following list, which is by no means comprehensive, provides the reader with a summary of some of the more important publications.

Addis Tribune (weekly newspaper), 1992–present
Aethiopica: International Journal of Ethiopian Studies, 1998–present
 Agazen
Annales d'Ethiopie, 1955–1990, 2000–present
Bulletin of Public Health
Bulletin of the University College of Addis Ababa Ethnological Society
The Business Review (weekly newspaper), 2001–present
Capital, (weekly newspaper), 1998–present
Eritrean Studies Review, 1996–present
Ethiopia Observer, 1956–1974
Ethiopia: Seven Days Update, (weekly newspaper)
Ethiopian Economic Review, 1959–present
Ethiopian Geographical Journal, 1963–present
The Ethiopian Herald (daily newspaper), 1943–present
Ethiopian Journal of African Studies, 1981–1988
Ethiopian Journal of Agricultural Sciences, 1990–present
Ethiopian Journal of Development Research, 1974–present
Ethiopian Journal of Economics, 1992–present
Ethiopian Journal of Education, 1967–present
Ethiopian Journal of Health Development, 1984–present
Ethiopian Journal of Health Sciences
Ethiopian Medical Journal, 1963–present
Ethiopian Review, 1991–present
Ethiopian Science and Technology Newsletter

Ethiopian Statistical Association Newsletter
Ethiopian Trade Journal, 1960–1970, 1980–present
Ethiopianist Notes (East Lansing), 1977–1979, became *Northeast African Studies*
Fortune (weekly newspaper), 2000–present
Journal of Eritrean Studies, 1986–1991
Journal of Ethiopian Law, 1964–present
Journal of Ethiopian Statistical Association, 1990?–present
Journal of Ethiopian Studies, 1963–present
Journal of Modern African Studies, 1963–present
Journal of Oromo Studies, 1993–present
The Monitor (newspaper), 1993–present
Negarit Gazeta, 1942–present
Nubica et Aethiopica, 1990–present
Oromo Commentary, 1991–present
Rassegna di Studi Etiopici, 1941–present
The Reporter (weekly newspaper), 1995–present
SEBIL Journal, 1988–present
SINET: Ethiopian Journal of Science, 1977–present
The Scope (newspaper), 2002–present
The Sub-Saharan Informer (daily newspaper), ?–present
The Sun (daily newspaper), 1996–present

Lastly, it should be noted that the romanization of Amharic is characterized by numerous diacritical marks that account for any discrepancies in the names included in the bibliography. To simplify matters, the authors have refrained from using any diacritical marks in the bibliography or the dictionary.

ABBREVIATIONS

AA	African Affairs
AAU	Addis Ababa University
AAUP	Addis Ababa University Press
AHS	African Historical Studies
AI	Amnesty International
APP	Artistic Printing Press
AQ	Africa Quarterly
AR	Africa Report
AS	African Studies
ASR	African Studies Review

AT	<i>Africa Today</i>
CEA	<i>Cahiers d'Études Africaines</i>
CH	Current History
CJAS	<i>Canadian Journal of African Studies</i>
CP	Clarendon Press
CR	<i>Contemporary Review</i>
CUP	Cambridge University Press
EGJ	<i>Ethiopian Geographical Journal</i>
EJAS	<i>Ethiopian Journal of African Studies</i>
EJE	<i>Ethiopian Journal of Education</i>
EN	<i>Ethiopianist Notes</i>
EO	<i>Ethiopia Observer</i>
ESR	<i>Eritrean Studies Review</i>
FA	<i>Foreign Affairs</i>
FS	Franz Steiner Verlag
GJ	<i>Geographical Journal</i>
GP	Government Printer
HA	<i>Horn of Africa</i>
HMSO	Her/His Majesty's Stationery Office
HS	The Hakluyt Society
HSU	Haile Selassie I University
HT	<i>History Today</i>
IA	International Affairs
IAI	International African Institute
IDA	International Development Association
IJAHS	<i>International Journal of African Historical Studies</i>
JAH	<i>Journal of African History</i>
JAL	<i>Journal of African Law</i>
JAS	<i>Journal of African Studies</i>
JC	James Currey
JDA	<i>Journal of Developing Areas</i>
JEL	<i>Journal of Ethiopian Law</i>
JES	<i>Journal of Ethiopian Studies</i>
JICH	<i>Journal of Imperial and Commonwealth History</i>
JMAS	<i>Journal of Modern African Studies</i>
JOS	<i>Journal of Oromo Studies</i>
JRAS	<i>Journal of the African Society</i>
JRGS	<i>Journal of the Royal Geographical Society</i>
JRUSI	<i>Journal of the Royal United Service Institution</i>
JSS	<i>Journal of Semitic Studies</i>
LR	Lynne Rienner Publishers
NAS	<i>Northeast African Studies</i>

NC	<i>The Nineteenth Century and After</i>
NGM	<i>National Geographic Magazine</i>
NS	New Series
OUP	Oxford University Press
PRGS	<i>Proceedings of the Royal Geographical Society</i>
RA	<i>Rural Africana</i>
ROAPE	<i>Review of African Political Economy</i>
RSP	Red Sea Press
RT	The Round Table
SIAS	Scandinavian Institute of African Studies
SSM	<i>Social Science and Medicine</i>
TJH	<i>Transafrican Journal of History</i>
TWQ	<i>Third World Quarterly</i>
USGPO	United States Government Printing Office
USM	<i>United Service Magazine</i>
WD	<i>World Development</i>
WP	Westview Press
WT	<i>World Today</i>
YUP	Yale University Press
ZB	Zed Books

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